



# A German Soldier Answers Back

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**A** MOST VALUABLE contribution to the conservative cause throughout the world today—exposing as it does the linkage of the Super-Capitalists with Communism—is Professor W. Cleon Skousen's book *The Naked Capitalist*, which is, in fact, a review of the much bigger and more detailed book *Tragedy and Hope* by Professor Carroll Quigley, himself an "insider" of the leftist establishment.

But, in 1958 when he first produced his earlier work, *The Naked Communist*, it would appear that Skousen knew little enough of the real nature of the world-wide

power behind the scenes—the great money power of the international financiers and the organizations they spawned, such as the powerful Council on Foreign Relations in America.

Without this background, Skousen did not have a full and clear picture of what lies behind world politics, that "hidden hand" of which Disraeli wrote in his day.

In this brief commentary on Skousen's earlier book *The Naked Communist* (1971 edition), the present writer proposes to examine only his remarks at pages 348 and 349 under the sub-heading of "Who Inspired Hitler?"

Here Skousen informs us that "it was Nietzsche's thinking which inspired Adolf Hitler with his apocalyptic nightmare of total war"; and he quotes Hitler's call in *Mein Kampf* for young "beasts of prey" with whom to create a new world order. Finally, Skousen writes, "after several years of seeing the black boots of National Socialism stomp out the light of civilization wherever they marched, we rose up in our wrath and joined forces with other nations of the world to smash Nietzsche-inspired Nazism."

Skousen continues: "In putting down National Socialism and the Axis we had only conquered one

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HEIN BEST, a soldier in the German Army in World War II, remarks that he has been much impressed with a great deal of the re-writing of recent history by American conservatives. He wonders, however, why so many of them—such as Cleon Skousen—continue to make obeisance to the enemies of the West by joining in the continued shameless denigration of the German people.

Do they imagine that by so doing they can inoculate themselves against the plague of leftist smearing with accusations of "Nazism" and "Fascism"?

form of materialism. Another form, equally strong, immediately rose to take its place. This new form of materialism came from Nietzsche's comrade-in-arms—Karl Marx . . . (who) thought of himself as the father of dialectical materialism, more commonly known as Communism."

One may be pardoned for doubting whether Skousen has read or studied any of Hitler's writings and speeches in the whole; for it seems rather as if he has trusted writers of the leftist establishment, and other hostile persons who had left Germany for various reasons before or after 1933.

Indeed, it is not easy for Americans to escape the long-term effects of brainwashing during the Roosevelt era, during World War II, and continued to this day, a brainwashing that still reaches many otherwise well-informed, conservative American minds.

### Counter Revolution

What is needed is some understanding of the situation in Germany at the time when Hitler came to power. It is necessary to understand that Hitler was faced with a revolutionary situation calling for a counter-revolutionary response.

Today, we know that America in 1933 was in much the same plight as Germany. America was on her knees during the post-1929 crisis; unemployment was a tremendous problem, as were crime and the disintegration of culture.

Germany, from within the nation, had found a solution for her cultural, political and economic problems; whereas the President of the United States of America ill-advisedly chose the way of aggression against Germany and Japan, and misused his power by recognizing Soviet Russia.

In this counter-revolutionary situation, involving a life or death

struggle for Germany as a nation, the spirit of Nietzsche was as helpful for the Germans as the spirit of Rousseau was destructive of the American Constitution; and it is this destructive spirit which has given rise to the revolutionary situation in which America is placed today.

During the years before 1933 and after, there was no time for Germany to solve her problems with "soft leather gloves" on her hands. If the United States at that time had acted in the same way, within her own country, America would not today be confronted with the horrible problems of our times—those problems of culture-distortion and national alienation which have become world-wide, largely through the failure of American politics.

### Civilization and Culture

Americans have forgotten where the main stream of the population came from originally. The United States of America was founded by people who were of English, German, Scandinavian and French blood—the Western Europeans.

Without this European stock there would be no America. It is these "Europeans" of America who are "the dispossessed majority" of whom Wilmot Robertson has written in his book of that name; and who have been described by Douglas Reed in 1951 in his book *Far and Wide* (at page 104).

Consequently, it was the most disastrous crime in history for America to act against Europe during two world wars, regardless of which state was the victim of any aggression.

Europe itself is still an idea. And not since at least an hundred years earlier was this idea of Europe so strongly felt as in Germany after 1933. The European Idea meant culture; its foundation was idealism—not materialism.

Some may consider civilization

and culture to be one and the same thing. They are not.

There never has been a true culture in the United States of America as there has been in Europe, in Mexico, in South America. Culture is not an article for export or import.

Francis Parker Yockey has brilliantly analyzed the meaning of culture and culture-distortion in his Spenglerian work, *Imperium*. And from this we may learn why the culture-distorters in the U.S.A.—working through the opinion makers of the internationalist press—hate Europe.

For they have hated culture ever since their earliest contacts with the culture of the Sumerians, Egyptians, and Persians—all basically Aryan-Gothic, and thus proto-European (as Professor L.A. Waddell has shown in his monumental work, *The Makers of Civilisation*).

The culture-distorters have been with us—and yet not of us—since before recorded history; being unable to create at any time in history a culture of their own, they remain always aliens in our midst.

It was the culture-aliens who drove the peoples of America into European wars of global dimension.

Surely the day will come when the dispossessed majority of European America will drive out the culture-aliens!

In the meantime, America has yet to learn the lessons of a true nationalism, before it is too late.

### **The European Heritage**

From the beginning of European history, the Gothic and Germanic tribes of the various European countries have defeated the Asiatics wherever they invaded Europe.

Without this resistance against Asiatic barbarism there would not stand today one Gothic cathedral in all Europe; no Renaissance would have developed the European spirit,

liberating Europe from the confines of the Middle Ages.

Without our glorious Gothic heritage there would be no European Idea, no United States of America—and wild Asiatics would have been grazing their cattle on the shores of the Atlantic!

Nevertheless, it is the ideas of these Asiatic aliens that have intruded into the United States of America.

Who will be the European—because he can only be a European—who in a mighty *levée en masse* will arise to drive out the culture-aliens from the soil of America, Europe, and the old British dominions in Southern Africa, Australia, New Zealand? Who? Before it is too late!

That the aliens out of Asia stand today at the center of the heart of Europe is one of the results of America's treason!

### **The Beast of Prey**

The "beast of prey" as a title for men is old, and Hitler was not the originator of this expression.

In accordance with nature's ecology, every "goggle-eyed" herd of herbivores has its controlling beast of prey. The beast of prey is the noble heraldic animal, symbol of order, authority, will and power. The beast of prey kills instantly when he has to, without feelings of hatred or revenge.

When the European settlers drove from the east coast of the American continent to the far west, they were hardly a goggle-eyed flock of sheep! They were prepared to meet all hardship with the eyes of the beast of prey and with the faith which they brought to a new country.

This was the code of the wilderness they developed, producing men and women unrivalled for outstanding character, the pride of America's pioneer history.

When these pioneers decided to leave their homelands in the 18th century, Europe was at the peak of her culture. These people took with them to the New World a lesson they had learned in the Old World: War is a part of culture, and life is struggle.

Professor Cleon Skousen may or may not have seen how men behave against one another in the heat of battle. The present writer has; and he has noted the difference between the resolute defender, who at any time can throw himself into a counter-attack with the look of a beast of prey in his eyes, as compared to the goggle-eyed man of the mob or "herd," who at such a time looks around for the coward's way of easy escape.

Recalling the expression of the resolute beast of prey in such counter-action, the present writer, however, is unable to imagine the expression that might have been on the faces of those American pilots who fired with machine-guns into the defenseless masses of people in Dresden—people who had escaped the bombing holocaust of the day before, February the 13th, 1945.

And where were the American beasts of prey when the aliens at Nuremburg were demanding the extinction of the German people by means of sterilization? Where was

their protest when the barbarians from Asia settled at the river Elbe?

And who of the White, "European" Americans protested against Black "American" soldiers being let loose in Europe?

In South Africa, during the Boer War, President Kruger forbade the use of Negroes (Bantu) against European soldiers. In vain we may try to find such a gesture of nobility in the American Army in Europe during and after World War II!

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Where now are the beasts of prey that America needs in order to eliminate the evils of the Mafia, and the ugly network of organized crime, and all the other morbid Americanisms of today that derive from the weakness of democracy and liberalism?

Free your beasts of prey, America! You have them, and should use them to chase out the culture-aliens who batten on your nation!

By taking a first step towards restoring law and order, America may become again what she is not now: a strong and self-disciplined nation.

The German "beasts of prey" fought against Communism until the bitter end of unconditional surrender. Now it is America's turn to surrender or fight!

## *Patriotism*

● Patriotism means to stand by the country. It doesn't mean to stand by the president or any other public official save exactly to the degree in which he himself stands by the country. It is patriotic to support him insofar as he efficiently serves the country. It is unpatriotic not to oppose him to the extent that by inefficiency he fails in his duty to stand by the country. ● In either event, it is unpatriotic not to tell the truth — whether about the president or anyone else — save in the rare cases where this would make known to the enemy information of military value which would otherwise be unknown to him.

—Teddy Roosevelt